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REGULAR

Grind of Business Turned Out by the City Fathers.

The city council met last night in the city hall with the following members present: Cutter, Curtis, Kerns, Lorenz, Machett, Plumer, Savage, Strain and Toller. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Building permits were granted to Turner, Ebinger & Co., Elias Dye, Chas. Meisenholder, John Bules and Jacob Benig. The council then discussed the question of the prize fight said to have been held on the evening of August 27th and under the direction of some of the police force who were present and made no attempt to make arrests.

Plumer moved that the matter be investigated by the police committee. Strain said it was a huge joke, and should be treated so. Toller said it was the duty of the council to investigate the matter. The Mayor said that he had not made any charges and advised that the council should act on the matter. Kerns addressed the Mayor and said that he had disobeyed the law when he went to Louisville without appointing another man to act in his place and also that he was supposed to make a report every month when in fact he made it whenever he wanted to and that he should have suspended all the police concerned.

Lorenz said that the whole matter was child's play and would end up in boys' play.

Marshal Dye said that he wanted the whole council to investigate the affair and act upon it. He called the whole thing a joke.

A section of the ordinance was read setting forth that in the absence of the Mayor the Marshal was in full charge. The matter was referred to the police committee.

Toller made a motion that the street commissioner be authorized to haul some old brick to fire department No. 2 to be used in paving a place suitable for washing the hose wagon.

The clerk was ordered to pay the citizens' bank the balance on a note that was due.

Strain moved that a bill of the Marietta Transfer and Storage Co., of \$5 for hauling prisoners be referred to the finance committee. Toller called the attention of the council to the fact that a pile of stones on the corner of Second and Butler streets had not been removed. The Mayor was ordered to enforce the city ordinance pertaining to the matter.

Strain moved that the police committee be authorized to purchase a dozen stone hammers for prisoners. Motion passed.

Curtis said that as the city would be visited by people from all over the state in the next month that he thought it was time that the front street arch should be repaired. Motion was passed that the street commissioner should do the work at once.

The use of the Auditorium was granted for the reunion of the 7th O. V. C. on October 3rd for the sum of \$10.

A resolution was adopted that the clerk should draw on the public fund for \$48 to pay a note due Henry Schrote.

The street commissioner was instructed to lay a four foot brick walk

in front of the Webster Refg. Co. as its cost.

Rev. Thomas was granted the use of the Auditorium for the dedication of the A. M. E. church on September 23rd, free of charge. Machett voted no.

Upped Third street was reported to be in bad condition around the bend and the property owners were authorized to do some excavating under the direction of the street commissioner and have the dirt removed for doing the work. Machett voted no.

A motion was passed to have the city engineer propose plans for a 24 inch sewer on Front street from Sacra Via to Montgomery streets. He was also instructed to give an estimate on the Putnam street landing.

The following bills were allowed after which council adjourned:

Belt Bros.	50
Wm. Griggs	10.50
J. Seyler & Bro.	30
Geo. Bell	50.00
Turning Draw	3.90
Crescent Supply Co.	14.97
B. J. Laurie	48.73
Wm. Callahan	50.00
Mrs. A. Gibson	8.00
Chas. Hart	9.00
R. E. Ansell	9.68
Wm. Dye	8.33
Geo. Dye	22.74
Albert Rogers	50.00
Robt. Davis	45.00
Chas. Brown	45.00
Geo. Gephart	50.00
Frank Racer	50.00
Henry Posey	40.00
Metcalf Bros.	18.71
M. McMillin, Jr.	25.70
Crescent Supply Co.	92.40
Marietta Transfer & Storage Co.	3.00
Turning Draw	3.50
Joe O'Neal	50.00
Earl Davis	50.00
Frank Longley	1.50
Wm. Griggs	10.50
S. A. Palmer Brick Co.	44.20
Nye Hardware Co.	2.85
Pattin Brothers & Co.	15.82
Metcalf Bros.	11.65
First National Bank	25.50
National Carbon Co.	23.23
Standard Oil Co.	3.36
Pattin Bros. & Co.	9.80
G. B. Davis	1.00
Marietta Elect. Co.	5.50
Johnson & Miraben	3.00
Jas. F. Hovey	9.00
J. F. Wehrs & Sons	8.00
Jno. H. Becker	1.00
Scrubbing hall	11.80
Marietta Stone Co.	21.45
F. Hagerman	6.00
L. T. Cislser	21.00
W. P. Mason	28.00
H. D. Farrar	7.75
Heller & Brightly	24.25
Pacif Flush Trans. Co.	18.20
G. A. Brooks	10.50
A. F. Braddock	13.50
W. F. Curtis	50.00
Wm. Munice	50.00
Earl Bodmer	50.00
Wm. Bodmer	50.00
Amos Huff	50.00
Becke Lumber & Mfg. Co.	3.38
Becke Lumber & Mfg. Co.	3.43
Casper Hopp	3.46
H. Becker	17.00
M. Beagle	50.00
Jno. L. Carins	2.35
W. H. Styer	5.00
August Weber	38.21
Geo. Bodmar	60
River Gas Co.	22.54
River Gas Co.	23.41
River Gas Co.	22.82
River Gas Co.	2.90
River Gas Co.	10.00
River Gas Co.	24.41
D. P. Price	8.00
Street Pay Roll	155.25
Street Pay Roll	102.00
J. F. Wehrs & Sons	30
Wm. Kauf	1.15
Marietta Electric Co.	42

was made by Venezuela but her purpose was not made known although it is said to be friendly in tone, and while charging invasion by Colombian forces on Venezuelan borders, and referring to the temporary suspension of diplomatic intercourse which as occurred, the way appears to be open for explanations. No acknowledgement was received from Bogota on this is supposed to be due to delays in telegraphic communication between Bogota and coast stations.

Later—Colombia is also said tonight to have made response to the note. While its contents are not obtainable the statement is made that it is conciliatory in character and expresses the earnest wish that war with Venezuela may be avoided. Colombia, it is stated, stands ready to accept the friendly intervention of the United States to avert war and reposes confidence in the latter country.

Macksburg Hotel Sold.

Special to the Leader.

Macksburg, O., Sept. 3.—A deal was made this morning by which Longfellow Bros. of this place become owners of the Hamilton hotel. The hotel

was built and conducted during the oil excitement by Mr. John Hamilton, of this place. After his death his widow continued in charge of it until the present time. The building was well constructed and occupies a prominent site near the depot. The new owners intend to build it a two story higher and otherwise enlarge it. The building will be completely remodeled. It is the intention of Messrs Longfellow to construct such a hostelry as will offer accommodations equal to that offered by any of the first class hotels in the smaller cities. They believe that the demand for such accommodations will fully justify the necessary expenditure for the same. The building is a frame one and in its present condition was purchased for \$1500. Several times that amount will be used in its repair.

Common Pleas Court.

James Steen has filed suit against Martha M. Pinkerton in the court of common pleas to recover sixty-nine hundredths of an acre of land in Warren township. He also asks \$100 damages.

PRESIDENT

Starts For the Pan American Exposition This Morning.

By Associated Press.

Canton, O., Sept. 3.—President and Mrs. McKinley attended the county fair. This afternoon was children's day and hundreds of children were present. The President and Mrs. McKinley drove around the grounds several times, stopping at different places where something attracted their attention, but did not leave the carriage. The President pleasantly greeted a number of groups of children.

Preparations for the start to Buffalo in the morning made this day a busy

one at the McKinley home.

The President received no callers. The start for Buffalo will be made tomorrow morning over the Pennsylvania Lines to Cleveland, via Alliance. They are scheduled to reach Buffalo at 4:55 tomorrow afternoon. The President's party consists of the President, Mrs. McKinley and nurse, Mary and Ida Barber, of Canton, and Miss Sarah Duncan, of Cleveland, nieces of the President and Mrs. McKinley, Secretary to the President Cortelyou and Dr. Rixey.

SUSPICION

That Murder of Herbert Noyes is Under Arrest.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Ills., Sept. 3.—Henry Kearney, a colored man, is being held by the local police on suspicion that he was concerned in the murder of Herbert Noyes, a young broker and society man at Cleveland, O., May 24th, 1900. Kearney made an affidavit in which he says that while he was not directly implicated in the crime he watched the killing from across the street. The actual killing, was, he claims, done by a man named "Lightfoot" and another man whose name he does not know. Kear-

ney was an inmate of the Bridgwell, this city, until a few days ago, and claims that at the time he was an inmate "Lightfoot" was also a prisoner there. The latter has since been released but the police believe that they will be able to find him within a short time.

The arrest of Kearney was brought about by his own talk made in saloons, where he boasted knowledge of the murder of Noyes. The murder of Noyes created a sensation and has remained a mystery.

OIL NEWS

By Wire From the Various Fields.

Tiona	\$1.40
Pennsylvania	1.25
Cornling	1.08
Newcastle	1.00
North Lima	.91
South Lima	.86
Indiana	.86
Somerset	.88
Whitehouse	.95

PETROLEUM FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

Petroleum, W. Va., Sept. 3.—Stiles Brothers' No. 21, Volcanic Coal & Oil Company, is completed in the salt sand and is a very light well.

The Red Brush Oil Company's No. 4, Volcanic tract, is completed in the salt sand and shows for a very light well. Stiles Brothers' No. 22, Volcanic Coal and Oil Company, is spudding.

McFARLAN FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

McFarlan, W. Va., Sept. 3.—On McFarlan Creek, Murphy District, Ritchie & Company, the Cairo Oil Company, has completed its No. 4, J. Furry heirs, and they claim it is good for ten barrels in the salt sand.

J. M. Guffy & Company's No. 1, Samuel Ayers, made 30 barrels in the last five days. Can call it a three-barrel well.

ELM RUN FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

Elm Run, W. Va., Sept. 3.—The Shawmut Oil Company has located its No. 5, H. Layfield.

JOY FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

Joy, O., Sept. 3.—The Midland Cos' No. 13, E. R. Dale, has its rig up.

CLARKS FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

Clarks, September 3.—Garvey & Green are drilling at 300 feet in their No. 1 James Duffey.

MURPHYTOWN FIELD.

Special to the Leader.

Murphytown, W. Va., Sept. 3.—The United States Oil Company's No. 2, John Bennett is drilling.

An Oklahoma Gusher.

By Associated Press.

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 4.—At Granite, Okla., today a gusher of oil was struck at a depth of 300 feet. The flow created great excitement.

STRONG GAINS

Shown by Manufacturers in the Great Steel Strike.

By Associated Press.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 3.—Developments today in the steel strike show decided gains for the manufacturers. The accession of 32 skilled men to the Star plant, the increased production at the Painter and Lindsay and McCutcheon mills, the defection from strikers ranks of 78 machinists and pipe cutters at the Continental Tube Works and sixty at the Pennsylvania Tube Works, the importation of twelve men to the Monessen Steel Hoop Mill and the installation of three mills on the night turn at the Clark Mill all point to an early resumption all along the line as viewed by the steel officials. Amalgamated officials, however, make the claim that everything is progressing satisfactorily and say that much of the supposed advantage of the manufacturers is a bluff and can not be made good.

As an instance they cite that the Lindsay and McCutcheon plant, where the company claims to have as many men at work as they can accommodate and turning out a merchantable product. The Amalgamated people claim that James Murphy, Vice President of the first district, visited the Lindsay and McCutcheon Mill today in the guise of a roller seeking work. According to his report thirty men were working, six of whom are skilled. The strikers also claim that at the Monessen plant the product turned out last week amounted to 250 to 300 pounds while before the strike the daily output was 100,000 pounds.

Matters at McKeesport are quiet tonight to all appearances.

It is reported this afternoon that strikers at Duquesne intend to make

another effort to close that plant by getting the open hearth men out. Nothing definite on the subject can be learned.

At Wheeling the strikers are holding their own and there is no indication of an attempt to start any shut down plants. The report from Canal Dover, Ohio, is that although district manager Cline promised yesterday that four mills would be fired, only one mill, a small 39-inch mill, was fired. Strikers claim that this was caused by the desertion of nine non-union men who returned to Vandergrift, from which place they came last Sunday. Cline denies any desertion.

Amalgamated leaders in Pittsburg do not believe that there will be any investigation. Charges were made by Hickey at Milwaukee. Secretary Williams said today that if the committee should come here for the purpose it would not be received by the Amalgamated officials.

President Shaffer said today that he had received many endorsements of his course and encouragement to remain firm. The President himself professes to be entirely satisfied with the progress of the strike.

CAMBRIDGE MILLS.

Cambridge, O., Sept. 3.—The American Tin Plate Company is shipping in men to their plant and landing them, a few at a time, within their enclosure. The mills will be in operation Saturday. Two men arrived at noon today and were met by the strikers. During the melee district superintendent Robinson was struck and knocked against a moving train.

Injunction proceedings will be instituted.

Barn Burned.

At 3:30 Sunday morning the first department received an alarm from the West Side and immediately responded. The barn and store house belonging to Dong Price was burned to the ground. The horses and rigs were removed before damaged to any great extent. Mr. Price had just filled his barn with feed all of which was lost. Mr. Price had about \$600 insurance on his barn and contents. This is the third time he has lost his barn by fire. His loss is estimated at about \$1000.

Shamrock Behaves well.

By Associated Press.

New York, Sept. 3.—With her owner, Designer, builder, manager and sail-maker on board, Shamrock II sailed her seventh trial race today off Sandy Hook and the highlands of Navesink. A light breeze from the east northeast was of sufficient strength to give a very satisfactory estimate of her speed in light weather. At no time did the yacht act sluggishly.

E. G. BRIGHAM

Files Petition In Bankruptcy in U. S. District Court.

The business men of this city learned to their surprise of the filing of a petition in bankruptcy by Mr. E. G. Brigham, the well known Putnam street grocer. The papers were filed with the clerk of the United States District Court at Columbus.

The immediate cause of the action was probably the filing of suits before Squire N.E. Kidd of this city by the C. L. Bailey Grocery Co. for a sum due on notes aggregating about \$900.

Lashley the Winner.

In the bicycle races at Parkersburg on Labor Day, Theodore Lashley, of the Big Four Cycle Company, of this city, won first prize, a \$50.00 wheel. Farrell, of Parkersburg, was second and Mitchell, of Marietta, third. Lashley challenges any rider in Wood county, West Virginia.

TEDDY'S

Speech is Subject of Attack by the European Press.

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Sept. 3.—Several papers comment today upon Vice President Roosevelt's speech at the Minneapolis Fair, regarding the part the United States should play among the great nations. "One sees how the American politicians demand the extension of the sphere of power of the United States," says the "Vossische Zeitung." "One sees this purpose more sharply emphasized in the opposition offered to European influence. One sees also how the United States claims domiciliary rights in the international and external affairs of the American countries. If the people outside the United States are really in error regarding the intentions of the United States Americans themselves are to blame. Roosevelt spoke quite in the well known tone."

The utterances of the Vice President referred to are interpreted by "Vossische Zeitung" to mean that the United States must use their forces against any American country designed to attack, and that Washington must "mix itself in matters with which according to international law it really should have nothing to do."

"Berliner Tageblatt" says "the speech of the American Vice President is a reassertion of the Monroe Doctrine in its Jingo sense and shows how widespread in the United States is the chimera of European powers seeking territorial expansion in the Western hemisphere."

"Lokal Anzeiger" says "Roosevelt claims for the United States the role of arbitrator and dictator for all America, whereas no European power shows the slightest disposition to interfere."

KINDLY

Office of President Offered to Settle Venezuela-Colombia Trouble.

By Associated Press.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 3.—August 24th the State Department telegraphed the Ministers of the United States at Caracas and Bogota directing them to inform the foreign Secretaries of Venezuela and Colombia of the distress with which the President heard of the likelihood of a disturbance of relations between these two republics. The President said he would especially regret any action by either of them which menaces security of transit across the isthmus or the neutrality of its

territory and thereby constrain the government of the United States to consider its responsibilities and functions under the existing treaty engagements with Colombia.

Therefore the Ministers of the United States were directed to inform the two governments that the President would exert influence to compose the pending questions, but in order for his kindly offices to be effective it is necessary that both acquiesce in his selection for a settlement of the differences. Acknowledgement of the message